

In a popular Saturday cartoon feature of one of the Calgary dailies there is an illustration to the advertisement: two tigers sitting down. Don't you believe that tiger year? Lions and leopards are found in Africa, but not tigers. The tiger inhabits India and other countries of the far east, but no one has ever seen a tiger on "dark continent." This cartoonist needs a little instruction in zoology.

Japan seems determined to seek revenge in China even if she has to kill every Chinaman to do it.

WEED MENACE
The Associate Committee on Weed Control of the National Research Council of Canada will meet in Edmonton, January 19. This meeting will bring together government officials from Ottawa, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and other provinces.

Prominently these men will discuss the increasing weed menace and outline plans for the control of weeds, one of the most serious problems with which the western farmer has to contend.

Thus the weed menace is on the increase there is no doubt. We have witnessed in Alberta the spread of the Canada thistle, the stink weed, and the sow thistle, not to mention many others. The control of these crop areas. These three weeds are particularly difficult to combat, and have caused hundreds, of thousands of dollars loss to western farmers. Prairie governments and farmers have spent huge amounts in fighting these weeds, in spite of every effort the weeds appear to be gaining a firm foothold.

Weeds show a hardness and tenacity that has led to the struggle for existence; they have developed wonderful powers of resistance against adverse conditions, and their powers of propagation are almost without parallel. A complete upper control of the weed menace can be brought about only by the co-operation of every farmer and land owning corporation doing their bit to eradicate these unwanted members of the plant family. A little extra effort now will save a fortune, trouble, and untold loss in the future.

THE WORLD GRAIN SHOW

The World Grain Show and Conference will be held in Regina next summer promises to be a world show in fact as well as name.

Entries are being received from Halifax to Honolulu, and from Calais to Calcutta. Countries in Asia, South America, Australia, South Africa, and the South Pacific will be represented in the various classes of grain, grasses, and field crops.

The least important part of this great world's gathering of agricultural products is the conference program in which there will be lectures and discussions on seed strains, methods of cultivation, fertilization, culture, and every phase of the highly scientific agriculture.

Our difficulty today seems to be not in growing quality and quantity, but in distributing the markets of the world the products of our farms. This phase of agriculture is an urgent one to-day. Quality and quantity must be maintained with the increasing demands of the world's population, and the coming conference in Regina should contribute and distribute much useful knowledge for the benefit of agriculture in general.

I PROMISE TO PAY

Calgary's stand on the exchange question as between Canadian and American currency has brought both contentment and dissatisfaction.

Whether Calgary will eventually be forced to pay the exchange, the astid the city has taken is at least bringing to light a few facts pertaining to currency exchange, our Canadian gold standard, and monetary policy.

In one respect the dispute may result to the benefit of the taxpayers, for the difficulty the city council is having with the banks in the matter of financing is causing the council to investigate other means of financing.

The issuance of scrip in place of borrowing from the banks is now being thoroughly investigated by a number of citizens.

Scrip was first used in Alberta by the town of Raymond where, according to reports, it was successfully used throughout 1932 and saved the town about \$500 in interest charges. The local scrip issue in Raymond was so successful that the council plan to issue a greater amount during 1933. Should Calgary be able to successfully operate on scrip it will save the city a huge sum of money in bank interest. Of

ROSEMARY NEWS

ROSEMARY, Jan. 19.—J. Adams made a trip to Calgary Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Abraham visited Mr. and Mrs. J. McFieff Friday evening.

Mr. Peterson is visiting old friends in Rosemary.

Brooks Thursday.

Mrs. Alf Narum suffered the loss of her sight on New Years day. She was taken to Calgary where an eye specialist is treating her. Her many friends in the training school were instrumental in restoring her sight.

Roy Eastman motored to Brooks Thursday.

School started again on Jan. 4 after a short vacation.

J. Mathis had the misfortune of injuring his back again last week. Dr. Anderson, of Brooks, has been treating him.

Loya Young is spending a few weeks in Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tautfest and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. White.

Don't forget the dance at the schools on Jan. 20; admission 25c. Peppy music, slick floor, and a good foot manager; ladies please bring lunch.

Gollings made a trip to Brooks on Thursday.

Shirley Charet, of Medicine Hat, is visiting Mrs. A. Narum. She attended her during her recent trip to Calgary.

Mrs. Morgan is reported as doing favorably well.

A number of young people from Rosemary attended the dance in Galt Park.

Mrs. Cora Narum visited at Majorville.

Mr. and Mrs. Krause were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McFieff entered the following guests at a bridge party on Monday night: Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. M. Mrs. Brown, and Dennis. Mrs. Young and Mr. Hall won first prizes.

Hazel Adams spent Monday evening with Kathryn Hall.

W. L. Thompson.

The regular meeting of the Rosemary W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Young on Jan. 6. The meeting opened by singing O Canada and reading the creed. The roll call showed an attendance of 16 men and 10 women. Minutes of the last meeting were read. Letters of appreciation and thanks were read from people who received favors from Christmas. A clipping from the paper by Mrs. Montgomery was read.

Mrs. Hall was elected director in Mrs. Schmidt, who had moved away. The program of meetings was read and some alterations made. It was decided that Mrs. Hall would be in charge of the next meeting. Mrs. Armstrong was appointed to entertain.

"The Origin of the W. I." The meeting then adjourned, after which Mrs. Stabell served a delicious luncheon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Feasey on Feb. 2.

WORLD GRAIN EXHIBITION ATTRACTS GREAT INTEREST

Twice postponed because of adverse conditions, the World Grain Exhibition in Canada will be held in Regina, Sask., this coming summer, July 24 to August 6.

"Show what you grow and share what you know" is the slogan of the great grain exhibition which is attracting world attention. Entry fees have been received from many states in the American Union, from Argentina, from Australia, India, and from practically every country in the world.

There are classes in grain, grasses, seeds, and other field crops, as well as numbers of other classes.

January 31 is the last day on which entries will be accepted. It is expected there will be about 200 entries from Alberta and the other provinces and British Columbia will have long lists of entries.

Entry fees are \$2.00 and \$1.50, according to the size of the cash prize offered, and the Alberta provincial government has agreed to pay half the cost of entry fees for Alberta exhibitors.

course the use of scrip is only feasible when merchants and business men agree to accept it.

Calgary is in the fortunate position of not having to borrow money with which to finance until the new taxes payments come in, so the scrip question is of no immediate interest here.

WINNIPEG GRAIN EXCHANGE CLAIMS WORLD CONDITIONS UNFAVORABLE FOR WHEAT PRICES

In reply to a statement by the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool that "the season has been the driest in memory and broken down and that the producers are in dire straits of that collapse," the Winnipeg Grain Exchange in a recently issued pamphlet, says in part:

"It is evident that the low prices which prevail in wheat are perfectly well known to the directors of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool. These causes are complicated by a depression world-wide in wheat, more than 100 million bushels of surplus wheat having been produced and affecting every industry and activity."

The existence of the world surplus of wheat, most of which is held in North America, is the chief reason for the low prices of wheat, and the chief cause of the collapse of the market, the pamphlet says.

The policies pursued by the Wheat Pool and by the Federal Farm Board in the United States were the prime agencies. The pursuit of these policies by the Pool in place of the Canadian Wheat Commission and machinery compelled the intervention of the Government in an effort to prevent even worse consequences, and has overloaded the market with wheat with the large surplus of wheat that it has been impossible for prices to be sustained at a satisfactory level.

"A national marketing agency would be powerless to raise the price when wheat is held in such quantities, existing any of the efforts of consuming countries, influenced in no small measure by fear of a combination of producers in exporting countries to hold up prices, to produce their own food."

"World conditions of trade are at present confused and disturbed. Grain markets in important areas of the world are prevented from the world market by numerous political and industrial experiments. Tariffs, quotas, and marketing restrictions have been imposed upon wheat by consuming countries in their own supposed interest. Under the pressure of these influences, it is evident that the wheat market in Canada as elsewhere, should be adversely affected. But a national marketing agency could bring no more powerful support to the market than that given by the Canadian Government through the Central Selling Agency in an effort to bring some relief to producers."

"Prices of primary products, as the world over, have fallen as much as wheat and in some cases more, as wheat fell before the big break in wheat prices took place. The established machinery of grain trading cannot be held responsible for a condition which prevails on all other products as well as to wheat."

FIGHTING IN SPAIN WITH 800 PEOPLE

MADRID, Spain, Jan. 11—A battle between Communists and a large force of royalists was fought in the village of Burgos in the province of Valencia. The royalists were beaten and fled to the nearby town of Pedralba where earlier in the day there was sanguinary fighting between royalists and members of the guard were killed. All told, the extremist movement, which has affected the government, which has affected many parts of Spain, has resulted in the killing of 25 persons and wounding 100 in the past two days.

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ALBERTA ENTITLED FOR WORLD GRAIN SHOW

Alberta's first entrant in the world grain congress to be held at Regina next summer is Harold Moore, of Lethbridge, who is to represent the province of the greatest wheat grower he has been developing during the past few years, and which has bright prospects as a crop for restoration of the ranges. Other entries already made include oilseed, wheat, barley, canola, Norman Peck of Lethbridge, and entries from Didsbury Bros., Lethbridge, in wheat. Entries for the world grain exhibition close January 31, 1933. It is anticipated that 100 entries will be submitted from Alberta.

The provincial department of agriculture has agreed to pay half the entry fee on approved exhibits from the province. The full entry fees are \$3.00 in classes with from \$2,400 to \$6,000 in prize money, and \$1.50 in the lower classes.

DUCHESS NEWS

DUCHESS, Jan. 11.—The next All Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lake; a good attendance is desired.

Mrs. Burke and Little daughters are visiting relatives in Queenstown.

Erick Roost is visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roper, of the Newell Hotel, Brooks, and their daughters, the Misses Frances and Freda, and Mr. Dick and Miss McCall of Calgary, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Moran of the Duchess Hotel last week.

Mr. Ettitt returned from Calgary and Edmonton last week after a short visit to the latter city.

Everybody welcome to church services and Sunday school every Sunday at 10 and 11 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Lake on Feb. 2. A good attendance is desired, as there is some important business to come up at the meeting.

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NOTICE

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The full purchase price of our Dry Ginger Ale and Soft Drinks will therefore be 10 cents per dozen lower, and syphons 20 cents each lower in price when purchased after January 1st, 1933.

All bottles and syphons purchased up to December 31st, will be redeemed at the present prices (30 cents per dozen for splits and pints, and 60 cents each for syphons) provided they are returned to the Brewery before January 31st, 1933.

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FIRST INSTALMENT

"Love doesn't last . . ." It was with these words ringing in her ears that Pauline awoke this morning to find the sunshine pouring in at her window.

"Love doesn't last . . ." It was the one thought in her mind that this day of all days should be of these words. She had read Stark's letter which had arrived last night.

Barbara was Pauline's best friend, for reasons that both of them would have been hard put to explain. The two girls were as much alike as it is possible to be, for while Pauline was young, unapologetic, and full of the joy of life, with a touching belief in happiness and the theory that love conquers all, Barbara, though at seven-and-twenty, seemed to have run through more experiences and emotions than many a woman double her age. She had been married, had had a baby, while, unfortunately, as people say, she did not care for it; later she had been divorced, and at the moment was getting herself talked about everywhere by her wild extravagance and because of a new and violent friendship with a married man.

In spite of all these things Pauline adored her.

The chief trouble was that Dennis did not approve of Barbara, and many times during her engagement

Sometimes Pauline was tempted to think he was right. Dear Dennis was so good to everyone. Dennis had a good job, he was well liked, his sight, so she said, and she well, there had never been another man in the world for her.

"Much better for you if there had been," so Barbara declared. "First love generally comes a copper for want of experience."

Pauline had argued at the time that Dennis' people don't like her, she doesn't like Barbara, looks down on that's only because she doesn't know her and understand her, so I do.

"Her own fault," Dennis broke in gruffly, and this Pauline would not allow.

Pauline never really knew whether Barbara liked Dennis or disliked him. She was always charming to him when he would allow her to be, and yet last night, in the letter that accompanied a most beautiful gift, Dennis had written to her with a little smile, "Impressed."

Barbara was quite well off, and he had prospects. He was thirty-two, and he had a motor car in which they were going away for a honeymoon trip. They had bought a house, so Pauline told everyone, and she had been quite sure that they would live happily ever after, until Barbara's letter came last night.

No that was not real seriousness. Dennis' ideas about life were totally different from her own—but it was the first small shadow cast over the sunshine of her happiness.

"It was her wedding day!" In the moon room, white frock and veil lay on the bed, downstairs all the wedding presents were set out on long tables.

She took up Dennis O'Hara's photograph and kissed it. In a few moments he had brought a box, and she would be Mrs. O'Hara. Dennis said he was not Irish in spite of his name. Only yesterday she had almost covered a sheet of newspaper with his name and her own joined

"Dennis O'Hara."

These were the words that haunted her as she sat up in bed, her fair

hair ruffled childishly, her blue eyes blinking in the sunshine. The present Barbara had seen her way standing on a small table by itself.

It was a small carved statue in ivory and silver, of the small Cupid who had a bow and arrow, a barbed arrow, a barbed arrow, and underneath was the one word, "Desire."

It seemed a funny sort of wedding present to send anyone, Pauline thought, even though she realized the beauty. When she had shown it to Dennis, he had laughed.

"She's a miserable cynic," he said. "We'll put it in the spare room, so that she'll be able to look at it as much as she likes when she comes to see us again, she will come?"

"Of course she will," Pauline answered quickly, but she had not told him about Barbara's letter. She had burned it.

"Love doesn't last . . ."

Or course she had been Barbara's only experience. Pauline was not clear as to the facts of her friend's marriage—she had never asked about it—and Barbara never spoke of her husband. That was the good point about her, she was common knowledge; yet he was, somewhere about, a vaguely accepted fact; and that the divorce had actually been nobody's fault but one of those "arranged" affairs was agreed by the respectable. Pauline thought it was all very pathetic. Sometimes the far-away lonely look in Barbara's eyes made her heart ache, and yet Barbara always seemed happy enough. She laughed a good deal, she was vivacious, she was beautiful, and yet the strange quality of mother love in Pauline's affection for her told Pauline that in reality she was not a happy woman.

"No heart!" So Dennis summed her up. "Delish as the devil. I know the type well."

she and the shadows will fall behind you. Now drink your tea and get dressed."

Then, being a sensible mother, she went quickly away, before Pauline saw the tears in her eyes.

Pauline drank her tea, bathed, and dressed. She was a lot of people staying in the house—cousins, and a bachelor uncle, and two children who were to be bridesmaids—the morning seemed to fly till suddenly Pauline's mother said:

"I wish you'd get married."

Pauline was conscious of a little shock, and for a moment a wild sense of panic took possession of her. It was as if someone had said: "This is the beginning of the end. After this there will be quite a difference. You will never realize belong to yourself any more or be free to do as you like."

With an effort she pulled herself together. What nonsense! When she was marrying a man she would be whole and happy and was going to a happiness far greater than any she had ever known.

She hummed a snatch of a song as she ran upstairs to her room, and as she went up the stairs someone can up the stairs behind her two at a time, and Peter Johnson—a very favorite cousin, who would have liked to be something nearer and dearer called her name.

"Pauline, Peterkin."

He joined her rather breathlessly. "This has just come. I thought you'd like to open it." He gave her a small parcel.

"Thank you," Pauline was turning away when he caught her hand. "I just want to wish you the best of luck—always—and happiness—heaps of it." She tried gently to release her hand, but he held fast.

"It was a present from the stage manager of a Government Morris' short story of the same title." Again Pauline was conscious of that little shadowy premonition. What trouble could there be? Why did everyone have to be so sunshiny when bound to be so cloudy?

(continued next week)

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BRADY'S COFFEE: Big # brand	a real good coffee
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non-premium	19c
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COOLIDGE DIES SUDDENLY
Calvin Coolidge, President of the United States, died from a stroke Thursday afternoon, Jan. 5, at his home in Northampton, Mass.

FAMOUS FLYER MISSING
Lester P. Jackson, famous Australian aviator, was missing after his disappearance was made to send a search party out after Hinkler who left Feltham, England, en route to Australia, before dawn Saturday.

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HEALTH



A BAD GAP

There are some gaps which can be crossed by the will to take the time and if one has the strength to struggle down one side and up the other. Other gaps must be bridged if they are to be crossed. The engineering skill which has made possible the bridging of such chasms as the Rhine and Danube is one of the marvels of our age.

There are other kinds of gaps which are serious impediments to life's progress. One such gap is the one which exists between knowledge and practice. On the one side is knowledge; on the other, disease and ignorance. The gap must be bridged if disease is to be overcome by knowledge.

Too often it is presumed that knowledge is, in itself, sufficient, but such is not the case. Knowledge is power, but it makes effective practice possible, but it is the application of knowledge which secures results.

Water power has always existed in Niagara Falls, but it was not until recent years that this power has been used to the best advantage developed and converted into electric energy; it puts machinery in motion and produces light; it secures results because it is being made use of.

In the field of disease prevention, the greatest and most useful potential lies in the use of knowledge which is available. We know that typhoid fever can be controlled through safeguarding of water and food supplies, but this knowledge does not cause typhoid fever to disappear. Typhoid fever becomes a rare disease in those countries where this knowledge is applied as to secure for the citizens a pure and safe water supply, and where the food is safeguarded.

The only reason why diphtheria continues to afflict children is that we have not made use of the knowledge which is available concerning the prevention of this disease. We know how to prevent diphtheria by a simple, safe, procedure which has already succeeded in banishing diphtheria by making use of this means; others have made no effort in this connection, and so diphtheria continues to ravage.

All this is true for the individual just as it is true for the community. You will only obtain protection from disease and keep yourself in a healthy condition to the extent that you apply the knowledge which you have concerning these matters. In order to keep your b'y man well, above all, make use of what knowledge you have.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 194 College Street, Toronto, Ont., will be answered personally by letter.

JAPANESE MAINTAIN PEACE DESIRED EAST ASIA FRIENDSHIP

TOKIO, Japan—Japanese forces reported today that Marshal Chang Hsiao-Liang, military leader charged with guarding China's northern border, had indicated willingness to negotiate an armistice between the Chinese and Japanese forces.

The Japanese force, which has been in Manchuria since last summer, is in a state of unrest, and it is the aim of Japanese forces to bring Jehol under control and within Manchurian territory.

LOCAL NOTES

John MacCallum, who has been employed at the post office, left last night for Empress where he will visit wife, his son, and Art Planaas is at present assistant in Currie & Milroy's Garage store.

The eastbound passenger trains have been running late because of a snowslide in the mountains.

Billy Boyce, who moved to Red River district last summer, is now located at Michigun, near Drumheller.

Mrs. Geo. Anderson, of Banff, is a guest at the home of her brother, Jas. Johnston.

Mrs. A. G. Bond was visiting in Medicine Hat last week with Mrs. T. H. Hunter.

Two men from Senn Gray and Mrs. and Mrs. Joey Gray of Crooked Creek, in the Peace River district, that they are getting well established on their homestead land.

They have been clearing land and putting up log buildings, and also go moose hunting occasionally.

The roof for the Masonic Community Hall was snowed down this week with an electrical machine, and the door is now in excellent condition.

Geo. Kins, C.P.R. D.N.R. camp foreman for the past number of years, has been granted arrangements to farm near Carseland.

Seymour Hendricks left last Saturday for the West Coast and Pacific Coast states on his vacation.

H. W. Harper, of Vermillion, newly appointed manager of the Bank of Canada, has been appointed of Canada, is renting the E. F. Maurer house. The Maurers will reside on the farm.

HOSPITAL NEWS

The following births have been recorded at the Basano Hospital: A daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McBee, of Duchess, on Friday, January 6.

A son, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Peppell of Makepeace, on Monday, Jan. 9.

A daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hyde, of Rosemary, on Wednesday, Jan. 4.

A son, to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hines, of Gena, on Monday, Jan. 9.

Wm. Mair, of Basano, is a patient in the hospital after an operation.

A. Husman, of Standard, underwent operation for acute appendicitis in the local hospital on Tuesday, Jan. 10.

SCHOOL REPORT

December school report for grades 3 and 4. Owing to lack of space the report was omitted from last week's issue.

Grade 3

1 Betty Gerbrand 655; 2 Chester Lewis 647; 3 Stanle Sturzour 643; 4 Richard Wahal 641; 5 Eldon Gerbrand 639; 6 Violet Lester 629; 7 Ruby Belot 626; 8 Roy Cline 625; 9 Irene Thompson 624; 10 Wilma Schatz 622; 11 George Morris 619; 12 Gordon McLean 607; 13 Martha Heslne 601; 14 Mae Engle 600; 15 Norman Ingberg 597; 16 Paty Smith 581; 17 John Lansdale 664; 18 Rosalie Zelenak 638; 19 Dale McBride 493; 20 Alice Hetherington and Mary Hetherington, not ranked.

Grade 4

1 Betty Hamar 659; 2 Graham Cathro 667; 3 Billy Plum 633; 4 Robert Weir 621; 5 Ruth Appleby 616; 6 Allyson Clegg 615; 7 Leonora Schatz 614; 8 Eldon Gerbrand 609; 9 Leslie Love 785; 10 Esther Reilne 785; 11 Mary Walsh 785; 12 Reuben Lansdale 782; 13 Clara Lippert 768; 14 Colina Morrison 741; 15 Op Taylor 735; 16 Lillie Pragall 721; 17 Tommie Pragall 714; 18 Nellie Casan 696; 19 Shirley Battie 633.

PROPOSE FORMATION OF COMPULSORY POOL IN N. Z. WELLINGTON

New Zealand, N.Z.—Formation of a compulsory wheat pool designed to maintain the wheat market when New Zealand home consumption value of four shillings five pence a bushel (\$1.06 at par) and the export value of probably half a crown a bushel (40/-) would be provided for in the regulations issued today under the Board of Trade Act.

A wheat purchase board is to be established to control all dealings in wheat throughout New Zealand. The coming harvest is expected to yield exportable surplus.

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Sunday, Jan. 16, 1933

11 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class. Meeting of the teachers at close of school.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship, subject, "The Ultimate Discovery."

Everybody Welcome

Pre-Inventory Specials

HERE WE OFFER SOME VERY OUTSTANDING BARGAINS --
QUALITY GOODS AT BIG REDUCTIONS

Men's Wear Department



Men's Heavy Ribbed 100 per cent Pure Wool Shirts; reg. \$2.50 for

.95c

Men's Heavy Weight Fleece Combinations; reg. \$2.25 for

.55c

Men's Work Sox, heavy, good quality; special 3 pairs for **.59c**



Men's Work Shoes, the Sisman, best every-day shoe, in solid elk leather; reg. 4.95 for **.3.75**

Men's Wool Sweater Coats in check designs; reg. \$5.50 for

.3.95



Men's Heavy 9 oz. Blue Denim Pant Overalls, reg. \$1.75 for

.1.39

Men's Tan Oxfords, the famed Strider and Invictus qualities; reg. to \$10 for

.4.95

Boys' Mackinaw Coats, heavy quality all wool, excellent wearing garments; reg. \$5.95 for

.3.50

Ladies' Wear Department

Ladies' Cotton Hose, give excellent wear; special 25c a pr.

.25c

Ladies' Silk & Wool Hose; reg. 55c for

.35c

Ladies' Pure Wool Vests, long sleeves; reg. \$1.50 for

.75c

Ladies' House Dresses, prints, broadcloths, etc.; reg. \$2.95 for

.95c

Ladies' Shoes, pumps, straps, oxfords, etc., in black patent leather, black kid, and calf; reg. \$3.95 for

.2.50

White Flannelette, Wabasso quality, 36 inch; reg. 35c for

.25c

Striped Llannelette, good washing quality, reg 25c for 19c yd.

Bleached Cotton, Wabasso quality, 36 ins., reg. 30c for 20c yd.

Heavy Grey Flannelette, suitable for coat linings; reg. 35c for

.23c

a yd.

Check Suiting, for girls' school dresses, etc., will wash and wear well; reg. 55c for

.39c

Grocery Department

Specials for Saturday and Monday, January

14th and 16th

JAM, Blackberry, Purity brand, no pectin 4 lb. tin .57

.57

JELLY: Crabapple, K. C. brand, pure, 4 lb. tin .55

.55

TAPIOCA, McLaren's quick cooking, per pkg. .15

.15

SALMON, fancy quality, red spring, tall tins per tin .27

.27

MACARONI, good food, low priced, per 5 lb. box .29

.29

CANNED SOUP, Campbell's vegetable or tomato 3 tins .33

.33

CANNED PINEAPPLE, sliced Singapore, light syrup 3 tins .39

.39

BROOMS, a splendid 5 string broom, medium weight each .73

.73

LAUNDRY SOAP Pearl White, 11 bars .47

.47

TOILET SOAP, Calyx 6 bars .47

.47

Fruits and Vegetables

Fresh supplies of all reasonable Fruits and Vegetables arriving for the week-end.

CALIFORNIA HEAD LETTUCE and CELERY, SWEET SPUDS, GRAPE FRUIT, HOT HOUSE TOMATOES, SPANISH ONIONS, CABBAGE, CARROTS, TURNIPS, PARSNIPS, ORANGES, LEMONS, and BANANAS

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